Frederick Taggart Cretors Jr. collection L426

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Summary Information

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Creator - Compiler Cretors, Frederick Taggart Jr.

Creator Cretors, Frederick

Title Frederick Taggart Cretors Jr. collection

Date 1927-1991

Extent 1.0 Cubic feet 2 manuscript boxes

Language English

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Biographical Note

Frederick Taggart Cretors Jr. was born July 31, 1913 in Springfield, Ohio. He was the son of Frederick Taggart Cretors and Elizabeth H. Clark, and grand nephew of Thomas Taggart. Cretors Jr. attended Shortridge High School and Butler University, both in Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana. Frederick worked as an Indiana State Trooper and public relations director (1936-1943), Indiana Civil Defense director and executive director (1950-1954), executive director of the Indiana Traffic Safety Council (1938-1953), lieutenant destroyer officer for the U.S. Navy (1944-1946), and as administrative officer of the Volunteer Naval Reserve Public Relations Unit.

Scope and Contents

This collection includes papers, letters, photographs, news-clippings, and volumes from Frederick Taggart Cretors Jr. in Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana ranging from 1927 to 1989 regarding various periods in the life of Cretors Jr.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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This collection is open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation from Betty Cretors in 1992/05/20.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing completed 2015/05/19 by Brent Abercrombie. EAD finding aid created 2015/05/19 by Brent Abercrombie.

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Butler University.
- Indiana State Police.
- Indiana Traffic Safety Council.
- Shortridge High School (Indianapolis, Ind.).
- United States. Navy.

Family Name(s)

Cretor family

Personal Name(s)

• Taggart, Thomas, 1856-1929

Subject(s)

- Civil defense--Indiana
- Family history
- Photographs
- World War, 1939-1945--Indiana

Collection Inventory

	Box	Folder
Cretor family records, 1958 and 1991	1	1
Frederick Cretor school essays and report cards, 1927-1934	1	2
Shortridge High School papers, 1929-1937	1	3
Shortridge High School 50th reunion documents, 1980	1	4
Butler University papers, 1940-1945 and 1970	1	5
Photographs, 1927 and undated	1	6
U.S. Navy correspondence, 1942 April-1970 July	1	7
Frederick Cretor, U.S. Navy journal, 1944 June-1944 July	1	8
U.S. Navy records and photographs, 1949-1969 and undated	1	9
U.S. Navy Separation papers, 1943-1949	1	10
Frederick Cretor's letters of recommendations, 1942-1944	1	11
Indiana State Police papers and safety council medal, 1921-1947	1	12

Civil defense newspaper clippings, 1951-1956 and undated	1	13
Civil defense state board of accounts documents, 1954 and 1956	1	14
Correspondence, 1936-1953	2	1
Newspaper clippings, 1944-1954 and undated	2	2
Playbills, 1948	2	3
Thomas Taggart newspaper clippings, 1929 and 1991	2	4
Miscellaneous papers, 1989 and undated	2	5
Certificates, 1942, 1955, 1961, and undated	2	6
	Box	Volume
Butler University "The Drift" yearbook, 1934	2	1
Butler University alumni directory, 1981	2	2